

2016 NIST NNMI Institute Competition

Proposers' Day, Tuesday, March 8, 2016

Agenda

- 8:45 a.m. Call to Order**
Dr. Phillip Singerman, Associate Director of NIST Innovation and Industry Services
- 8:50 a.m. Welcome**
Dr. Willie E. May, Under Secretary of Commerce for Standards and Technology, and Director of NIST

Session I: The 2016 NIST Funding Opportunity

- 9:00 a.m. NNMI and NIST Competition Overview**
Mike Molnar, Director, NIST Advanced Manufacturing Office (AMO), and NNMI National Program Office
- 9:30 a.m. The Elements of a Complete and Competitive Application**
Lisa Fronczek, Chair, NIST 2016 NNMI Competition, NIST AMO
- 10:00 a.m. How Applications Will Be Evaluated**
Dr. Michael Schen, Associate Director for Programs, NIST AMO
- 10:30 a.m. Networking Break**
Refreshments available at NIST Cafeteria (fee)

Session II: MEP and Administrative Requirements

- 11:00 a.m. Leveraging the Network of NIST MEP Centers**
David Stieren, Technical Manager, Program Development
 NIST Hollings Manufacturing Extension Partnership (MEP)
- 11:20 a.m. Administrative and Award Requirements**
Andrew Klein, Specialist, NIST Grants Management Division

Session II: Participant Questions and Next Steps

- 11:40 a.m. Questions and Answers**
 Moderator: *Dr. Frank Gayle*, Deputy Director, NIST AMO
Panelists: *Lisa Fronczek, Christopher Hunton, Andrew Klein, Michael Schen, and David Stieren*
- 12:50 p.m. Wrap-Up and Next Steps**
Dr. Frank Gayle, Deputy Director, NIST AMO
- 1:00 p.m. Adjourn**
Lunch may be obtained at the NIST cafeteria (fee); attendees are welcome to network with colleagues there. (NIST staff are not permitted to organize nor participate in any such discussions.)